



Aurora Building Term 2

Overview 2021

Welcome back term 2!

We hope you had an enjoyable holiday with your child. This term we have some fun events and activities happening including the Animals Anonymous incursion, and our school fundraiser the Colour Run. We look forward to continuing to be a part of your child's learning journey throughout the term.

English

This term we are learning about the text type Exposition and Review. We will look at the structure and important language features. We will also be continuing Jolly Phonics and Grammar, Handwriting and Oral Language as part of our learning in English. Guided reading programs focusing on a variety of reading comprehension strategies will also continue throughout this term.

Science

Chemical and Physical sciences –

We are revising Physical science looking at push and pull and the effects of force of different objects. In chemical science we are also investigating materials and their properties.

Mathematics

This term we will continue to develop our number knowledge with number to 1000. Students will continue their work with number strategies including, rainbow facts, skip counting, doubles, near doubles, fact families etc. Students will investigate informal measurements- linear, mass, area, volume and capacity. We will measure, compare and order a variety of objects.

Geography

Students will continue to explore familiar and unfamiliar places by locating information from sources provided.

PE/Health, Japanese, The Arts

Specialist providers Michael, Des, Erin Lauren and Abby are covering these subjects. You can read about their programs in their specialist newsletters accessed via the school website.

Important Dates

12th May Wednesday – Animals Anonymous E33

19th May Wednesday – Animals Anonymous E31

3rd June Thursday– Colour Run Fundraiser

14th June Monday– Public Holiday

30th June Wednesday– Reports to go home

2nd July Friday – End of term 2 casual clothes,
gold coin donations

2pm dismissal

Health

The PE/Health teachers Michael and Des will cover health, however class teachers will be teaching the Child Protection Curriculum component. This term learning will be focussed on:

- Feelings
- Growth mindset

History

To be covered in Semester 2.

STEM

(Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths)

This Term our Computer Room lesson is on Thursday after recess. Students will be learning about Coding through Code.org and later in the term we will be using these skills to program simple robots.

Due to the colder weather approaching please make sure you send a named jumper or jacket to school with your child. We would love a box of tissues from each child to replenish our supplies.



Warm regards from the 2021 Aurora building,
Anna, Bianca, Desi, Jessica P and Michaela.

